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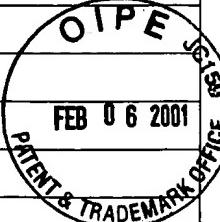
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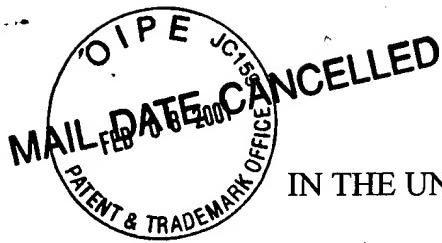
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated November 7, 2000, setting a shortened  
statutory period for response expiring on February 7, 2001, Applicants respectfully  
submit the following remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

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